

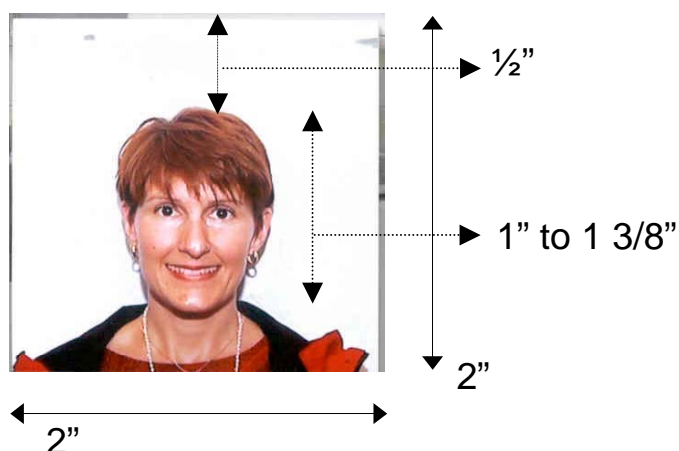


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U.S. Passport Photograph Requirements

- All photographs must be 2" by 2" (two inches by two inches), excluding any borders
- Photograph background must be white or off-white
- Applicant image must be centered and facing forward
- Head size must be 1" to 1-3/8" and there must be 1/2" between the top of the head and the top of the photo
- Photographs must be taken in color (NOT black and white)

Your photograph must match the dimensions of the below sample, which is the same as the dimensions on passport application forms DS-11 and DS-82.



A Note About Digitized Photographs: If you choose to submit digitized photographs, they must meet the passport photograph requirements or they will be rejected. Some printers will produce an unacceptable photograph in which the dots are seen, or the image is grainy. Acceptable photographs have a continuous tone image that is very photo-like.

Passport Photographers

Provided the photographs meet the specified requirements for American passports as listed above, any photographer may take them. The Embassy cannot recommend any specific photographer, or assume any responsibility for their efficiency, integrity, or reliability. Fees and the service provided are a matter solely between you and photographer selected.

On the next page is a list of some UK photographers who are familiar with U.S. passport photo requirements and have provided acceptable photographs in the past.

Snappy Snaps - branches located throughout the UK
020 8741 7474, www.snappysnaps.co.uk
(Please ensure your local branch is familiar with U.S. passport photo requirements)

England and Wales

Passport Photo Service
449 Oxford Street
London W1C 2PS
020 7629 8540
www.passportphoto.co.uk

Gould Pharmacy
37 North Audley Street
London W1K 6ZL
020 7495 6298
www.gouldpharmacy.com

Eric Purchase Photography
4 Heritage Court
Sadler Street
Wells, Somerset BA5 2RR
017 4967 8017

John Roan Photography
42 Guildhall Road
Northampton NN1 1EW
016 0463 4511
www.johnroanphotography.co.uk

Reflections Photo Centre and Studio
1 Mansbrook House High Street
Midsomer Norton
Somerset BA3 2HW
017 6141 6163
www.reflectionsfirst.co.uk

Michael Rich Studios
3 Prospect Lane
Frampton Cotterell
Bristol BS36 2DR
014 5477 8816
www.richphotos.com

Richardsons Photographers
Albert Square
Chester-le-Street
Co Durham DH3 3QG
019 1388 3346
www.richphoto.co.uk

Squib Photography
28 Dark Lane
Witney
Oxon OX28 6LE
019 9377 2687
www.squibphotography.co.uk

Raymond Thatcher Studios
18 Queen Street
Maidenhead, Berkshire SL6 1HZ
016 2862 5381
www.lightportraiture.co.uk/raymondthatcherstudios

Dave Williams Photography
70 Lower Bridge Street
Chester CH1 1RU
012 4434 4164
www.davewilliamsphotography.co.uk

Bubbles Photography
16 Bank Street
Wrexham, North Wales LL11 1AH
019 7831 1958

Invicta Studio
83 Oxford Street
Manchester M1 6EG
016 1236 4644 ext 2573

The Picture Gallery
105 Park Road
Hartlepool TS26 9HR
014 2926 4900
www.thepicturegallery.co.uk

Scotland

Please visit <http://www.usembassy.org.uk/scotland/cgpasspt.htm> for a further list of photographers in Scotland, maintained by the U.S. Consulate General in Edinburgh

Alexanders Art Shop
58 South Clerk Street
Edinburgh EH8 9PS
013 1667 5257

Venart Photography
39 Bath Street
Glasgow G2 1HW
014 1332 4683
www.venart.co.uk

Quartz Photography Services
Unit 8 Cults Business Park
Station Road, Cults
Aberdeen AB15 9NP
012 2486 5865

The Photo-Electric Effect
31A Guildhall Mews
Guildhall Street
Dunfermline KY12 7NS
013 8384 0485
www.photo-electric.co.uk